HOUSE BILL No. 1521

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 9-30-3-16.

Synopsis: Allowable charge for a driver improvement course. Allows the cost for a driver improvement course required by a court to be determined by the course provider.

Effective: July 1, 2003.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 9-30-3-16, AS AMENDED BY P.L.118-2001,
SECTION 8, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
JULY 1, 2003]: Sec. 16. (a) If a person has been found to have
committed a traffic offense, the court may do the following:

- (1) Require the person to attend and satisfactorily complete a driver improvement course that has been approved by the court and the bureau or by the bureau.
- (2) Place the person on probation for up to one (1) year.
- (3) Suspend the person's driver's license for up to thirty (30) days.
- (b) A driver improvement course required under subsection (a) may be financed by assessing a **reasonable** charge that covers the direct cost of the course. However, the charge may not exceed:
 - (1) thirty dollars (\$30) for a classroom presentation; or
 - (2) forty dollars (\$40) for a distance learning presentation. as determined by the course provider approved by the bureau.



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